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In re Patent of :  
Holmes et al. :  
Patent No. 6,134,432 :  
Application No. 09/098,614 :  
Filed: June 17, 1998 : ON PETITION  
Issued: October 17, 2000 :  
Title of Invention: :  
SYSTEM AND PROCESS FOR ALLOWING :  
WIRELESS MESSAGING :

This is a decision on the petition under 37 CFR § 1.378(c),  
filed March 1, 2005, to reinstate the above-identified patent.

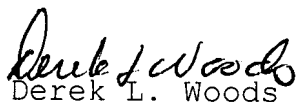
The petition is **GRANTED**.

The patent issued October 17, 2000. The grace period for paying  
the eleven and one-half (11½) year maintenance fee expired on  
October 17, 2004. Therefore, since this petition was filed  
within twenty-four months after the six-month grace period  
provided in 37 CFR 1.362(e), this petition was timely filed  
under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.378(c).

Accordingly, the maintenance fee in this case is hereby accepted  
and the above-identified patent is hereby reinstated as of the  
mail date of this decision.

The file is being forwarded to the files repository.

Telephone inquiries concerning this matter should be directed to  
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